

Chambers of Senior Judge David D. Dowd, Jr.

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David D. Dowd, Jr.
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929
Education: Wooster 1951 BA; Michigan 1954 JD
Began Service: October 8, 1982
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Affiliation: Senior Judge, Chambers of Senior Judge David D. Dowd, Jr.,
Alien Terrorist Removal Court

Government: Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, State of Ohio (1961-1967);
Prosecuting Attorney, State of Ohio (1967-1975)

Judicial: Judge, Ohio Court of Appeals, Fifth District (1975-1980); Justice,
Ohio Supreme Court (1980)

Legal Practice: Partner, Dowd & Dowd, Ltd. (1954-1955); Partner,
Dowd & Dowd, Ltd. (1958-1975); Black, McCuskey, Souers & Arbaugh
(1981-1982)

Military Service: United States Army (1955-1957)

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Sandra L. Denman** (330) 252-6034
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**David A. Katz**
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933
Education: Ohio State 1955 BS, 1957 JD
Began Service: October 21, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Legal Practice: Spengler Nathanson (1957-1993)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The American Inns of
Court; American Judicature Society; Ohio State Bar Association; Toledo Bar
Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Samer Korkor** (419) 213-5710
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Term Expires: August 2009
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Lesley Wells
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1937
Education: Chatham 1959 BA; Cleveland-Marshall 1974 JD
Began Service: February 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law,
Cleveland State University (1980-1981)

Judicial: Judge, Ohio Court of Common Pleas, Cuyahoga County
(1983-1994)

Legal Practice: Private Practice; Partner, Brooks & Moffet (1975-1979);
Schneider, Smeltz, Huston & Ranney (1980-1983)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The American Law
Institute; Cleveland Bar Association; Cleveland-Marshall Law Alumni
Association; Cuyahoga County Bar Association; National Association of
Women Judges; Ohio State Bar Association; Ohio Women's Bar Association

Staff

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Vernelis K. Armstrong
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: September 1994
Term Expires: September 2010

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Yolanda Gwinn** (419) 213-5582
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Nancy A. Vecchiarelli
Magistrate Judge

Education: Cincinnati 1977 JD
Began Service: April 20, 1998
Term Expires: April 20, 2014



Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Thomas J. Parino, Ohio Court of
Appeals, Eighth District (1977-1979)

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Nancy A. Vecchiarelli continued

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Ohio,
United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice,
Ronald Reagan Administration (1986-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP (1979-1986)

Current Memberships: The Judge Anthony J. Celebrezze Inn of Court, The
American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; The Justinian Forum;
Ohio Women's Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Amy Hamilton** (216) 357-7130
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Career Law Clerk **James Walsh** (216) 357-7130
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**George J. Limbert**
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Case Western 1965 JD, 1971 LLM
Began Service: November 8, 1999
Term Expires: November 7, 2015
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Boardman Township Trustee, County of Mahoning, Ohio
(1998-1999)

Judicial: Common Pleas Judge, Mahoning County (1995-1996)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1965-1995); Private Practice (1997-1999)

Current Memberships: Mahoning County Bar Association; Ohio State Bar
Association

Staff

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Term Expires: August 2009
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Career Law Clerk **Susan A. Burns** (330) 884-7460
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Education: Youngstown State 1992 BS;
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William H. Baughman, Jr.
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Notre Dame 1974 JD
Began Service: February 15, 2000
Term Expires: February 15, 2016

Academic: Adjunct Faculty, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, Cleveland
State University

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Roger Kiley, United States Court of
Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1974-1975)

Legal Practice: Partner, Weston Hurd Fallon Paisley & Howley L.L.P.
(1985-2000)

Current Memberships: Cleveland Bar Association

Staff

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Education: Georgetown 1975 BA;
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Kenneth S. McHargh
Magistrate Judge

Education: Wooster 1966 BA; Connecticut 1974 JD
Began Service: March 2004

Government: Deputy Chief, Criminal Division, Northern District of Ohio,
United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration
(1983-2004)

Staff

Law Clerk **Mary Alexander** (216) 357-7230
Began Service: 2008
Term Expires: September 2010
Law Clerk **Bob Quartell** (216) 357-7230
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Chambers of Magistrate Judge Gregory A. White

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Gregory A. White
Magistrate Judge

Education: Kent State 1973 BS/CrimJ; Cleveland-Marshall 1977 JD
Began Service: March 1, 2008

Staff

Law Clerk **Zoltan Hargitai** (216) 357-7135
Term Expires: March 2010
Career Law Clerk **Cheryl L. Kravetz** (216) 357-7135
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Cleveland-Marshall 1997 JD

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